

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Reexamination of the captioned application is respectfully requested.

A. SUMMARY OF THIS AMENDMENT

By the current amendment, Applicants basically:

1. Amend claim 1 to include the limitations of allowable dependent claim 19.
2. Cancel claim 19 without prejudice or disclaimer.
3. Thank the Examiner for the allowance of claims 21, 25, 33-34 and 40-41.

B. PATENTABILITY OF THE CLAIMS

In view of the allowance and indicated allowability of claims, and amendment of independent claim 1 to include the limitations of allowable dependent claim 19, all claims are deemed allowable. A formal indication of allowability is earnestly solicited.

C. MISCELLANEOUS

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the undersigned's deposit account #14-1140 in whatever amount is necessary for entry of these papers and the continued pendency of the captioned application.

Should the Examiner feel that an interview with the undersigned would facilitate allowance of this application, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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